Amendment No. 1 to SB0137

Walley Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 137

House Bill No. 124*

by inserting the following new section immediately preceding the penultimate section and renumbering the subsequent sections accordingly:

SECTION ____.

- (a) Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, the western end of the bridge (Bridge No. 36SR0690035) on State Route 69 spanning Doe Creek in Hardin County, Tennessee, is hereby designated the "PFC Arthur Ross, Jr. Memorial Bridge" to honor the memory of this devoted patriot, husband, father, grandfather, and resident of the Morris Chapel Community, Hardin County, Tennessee, who, as a veteran of World War II, was awarded the Bronze Star by General George Patton for his act of heroism evacuating casualties from a disabled tank under direct fire on January 6, 1945, in Belgium.
- (b) The department of transportation is directed to erect suitable signs or to affix suitable markers designating the bridge described in subsection (a) as the "PFC Arthur Ross, Jr. Memorial Bridge".
- (c) The erection of the signs must be within the guidelines prescribed by the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices, and within the state supplemental guidelines, as applicable.
- (d) This section becomes operative only if the cost of the manufacture and installation of the signs is paid to the department of transportation from nonstate funds within one (1) year of the effective date of this act. The payment must be made prior to any expenditure by the state for the manufacture or installation of the signs. The

department shall return any unused portion of the estimated cost to the person or entity paying for the signs within thirty (30) days of the erection of the signs. If the actual cost exceeds the estimated cost, an amount equal to the difference in the costs must be remitted to the department in nonstate funds within thirty (30) days of the sponsoring person or entity receiving an itemized invoice of the actual cost from the department.

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